

COMMERCE — PROGRAM AND FUNDING ALLOCATIONS

5689. Hon Kate Doust to the Minister for Commerce

I refer to the Details of Controlled Grants and Subsidies, Budget 2012–13, Budget Paper No. 2, Volume 2, page 467, and I ask —

- (1) What is meant by Other Miscellaneous?
- (2) In relation to (1), will the Minister please provide the names of the programs and funding allocations (Actual, Estimate Actual and Budget Estimate) for —
 - (a) 2010–11;
 - (b) 2011–12; and
 - (c) 2012–13?
- (3) What are the Real Estate and Business Agents–Settlement Agents Supervisory Board Property Industry Grants?
- (4) In relation to (3), will the Minister please provide the names of the programs and funding allocations (Actual, Estimate Actual and Budget Estimate) for —
 - (a) 2010–11;
 - (b) 2011–12; and
 - (c) 2012–13?
- (5) What are the various projects funded through the Royalties for Regions grants?
- (6) In relation to (5), will the Minister please provide the names of the programs and funding allocations (Actual, Estimate Actual and Budget Estimate) for —
 - (a) 2010–11;
 - (b) 2011–12; and
 - (c) 2012–13?

Hon SIMON O'BRIEN replied:

- (1) “Other Miscellaneous” covers minor grants and subsidies considered not significant to include as separate line items in the table.
- (2)
 - (a) 2010–11 (Actual)
Plumbing Industry Commission \$4,000
 - (b) 2011–12 (Estimated Actual)
Ministerial Council of Consumer Affairs \$14,000
 - (c) 2012–13 (Budget Estimate)
Ministerial Council of Consumer Affairs \$15,000
- (3) The Real Estate and Business Agents–Settlement Agents Supervisory Board Property Industry grants are:
 - Real Estate Home Buyers Assistance application payments
 - Real Estate Fidelity Guarantee claim payments
 - Real Estate Compulsory Professional Development payments to support training of licensees and sales representatives
 - Settlement Agents Fidelity Guarantee claim payments
 - Settlement Agents Compulsory Professional Development payments for training delivered to licensees.
- (4)
 - (a) 2010–11 (Actual)
Nil, payments were made by the individual Boards not the Department of Commerce. The Boards accounting was combined with the Department at the 1st of July 2011.
 - (b) 2011–12 (Estimated Actual)
Real Estate Home Buyers Assistance \$5,615,000
Real Estate Fidelity Guarantee \$4,140,000

- Real Estate CPD Education \$1,122,000
Settlement Agents Fidelity Guarantee \$200,000
Settlement Agents CPD Education \$187,000
- (c) 2012–13 (Budget Estimate)
- Real Estate Home Buyers Assistance \$5,783,000
Real Estate Fidelity Guarantee \$4,264,000
Real Estate CPD Education \$1,157,000
Settlement Agents Fidelity Guarantee \$206,000
Settlement Agents CPD Education \$192,000
- (5) The projects funded through Royalties for Regions grants are:
- Regional Mobile Communications Project
 - Community Emergency Mobile Communications Project
 - Regional workers incentive allowance
 - Pilbara maritime common user facility
- (6) (a) 2010–11 (Actual)
- Nil grants from Royalties for Regions funds were paid during 2010/11
- (b) 2011–12 (Estimated Actual)
- Regional Mobile Communications Project \$8,000,000
Community Emergency Mobile Communications Project \$585,000
Regional workers incentive allowance \$45,000
- (c) 2012–13 (Budget Estimate)
- Regional Mobile Communications Project \$18,094,000
Community Emergency Mobile Communications Project \$2,000
Pilbara maritime common user facility \$3,000,000